

#### **RENTON MUNICIPAL ARTS COMMISION MINUTES**

Renton City Hall
Conferencing Center (7<sup>th</sup> Floor)

November 5, 2013

Present: Jerri Everett, Peter Hartley, Britt McKenzie, Marsha Rollinger, Mitch Shepard, Ben Andrews,

Evelyn Reingold, Paul Hebron, Jaris English

Absent: Natalie Gress, Bill Huls, T.Y.. Lau, Michelle Bettinger

Guests: Carlene Balcomb-Bartok Renton Police Department, Graffiti coordinator

City Staff present: Eliabeth Higgins, RMAC liaison City of Renton

**CALL TO ORDER**: The meeting was called to order at 4:35PM

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** COMMISSIONER BRITT MCKENZIE PRESENTED THE MINUTES FOR October 2013. Moved to approve Peter Hartley, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mitch Shepard, MOTION APPROVED.

**CORRESPONDENCE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Britt McKenzie passed around the correspondence folder for individual review.

Additional announcements

- Michelle's show AUNT DOTTIE November 24<sup>th</sup> 2pm Renton Civic Theater
- "Then There Were None" Renton Civic Theater runs until November 9<sup>th</sup>

Guest Carlene Bascom-Bartok presented a mural to us that was painted on the side of a building which was occupied by Diamond Tattooing. It was tagged as she told us that was against City sign code. She Wanted the Commission to be aware that the City was watching artists and the problem would be resolved between the City and the owner of the building.

Elizabeth informed us that the invitations have gone out for the dedication of the Rainier Avenue Grady Way project. Date to be announced.

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### **OLD BUSINESS:**

### **Committee reports:**

**Communication Committee: Jaris English Lead** 

Jaris informed us she would like to step down as lead of this Committee.

There will be a meeting on Thurs Nov. 14 noon at Luther's Table.

# **GAP lighting project: Lead Mitch Shepard**

Since Jennifer left this committee has not been active. Mitch is lead and will be Trying to get it back on track.

RESOURSE committee Peter Hartley Lead

The grant request for the "Our Town" projects got lost in cyberspace. Peter will resubmit it in 2014.

Peter has had numerous conversations with the artist responsible for the 'Mine Hoist" project. She has run over budget and will be submitting a small grant application to us. The amount can only be up to \$250.00.

## RETREAT

The retreat will be on November 16<sup>th</sup> 1pm to 4pm. Discussion will be on building Awareness. Location The Bristol Cabana #2.

<u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> November 2013 meeting was adjourned at 6:00 pm. The next meeting will be held December 3, 2013 in the Renton City Hall Conferencing Center (7<sup>th</sup> Floor) at 4:30 pm.

•	Britt McKenzie, Chair